

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: Peter DANKO

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For: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
CLOSING AN OPEN END OF A  
PRODUCT, AND PRODUCT FORMED  
THEREBY

Attorney Docket No.: 14727.0002 D1

**RESPONSE AFTER EX PARTE QUAYLE ACTION**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed May 10, 2010, please enter the following amendments and remarks into the file of the above-identified application.